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In re application of **Denis SAILLET et al.**

Attorney Docket No. P21995

Confirmation No. 5891

Serial No. : 10/083,580

Group Art Unit: 3765

Filed : P21995

Examiner: Robert H. Muromoto, Jr

For : WATER SPORTS GARMENT HAVING A MULTI-LAYERED ZONE

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in the above-captioned application.

- Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- A Request for Extension of Time.
- No Additional Fee.

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Multiple Dependent Claims Presented			145=	\$	+290=	\$0.00
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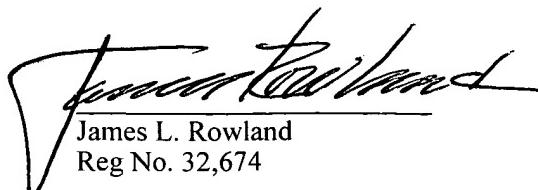
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**PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants	:	Benoît SAILLET et al.)	
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**REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.111
TO THE OFFICE ACTION OF DECEMBER 18, 2003**

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Sir:

In reply to the Office action dated December 18, 2003, please enter the following amendment.

For reasons explained in the "Remarks" section, beginning on page 6, below, Applicants submit that they have placed the instant application in condition for allowance.

Accordingly, upon entry of the amendment, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.